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Appln. No.	:	10/699,273		
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Title	:	A Shunt System Including a Flow Control Device for Controlling the Flow of Cerebrospinal Fluid Out of a Brain Ventricle		
Art Unit	:	3761		
Examiner	:	Deak, Leslie R.		

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REPLY

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of November 17, 2005, please reconsider the above-identified application as follows:

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.

An Appendix including formal drawing figures is attached following page 3 of this paper.